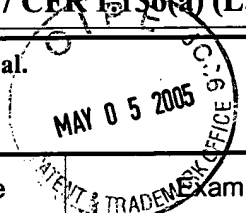


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In Re Application Of: Epstein et al.



Application No. 09/721,053	Filing Date 22 Nov. 2000	Examiner Paul Callahan	Customer No. 24628	Group Art Unit 2137	Confirmation No. 2297
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Invention: **COMMUNICATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 13 January 2005 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month
 ☐ Two months
 ☐ Three months
 ☐ Four months
 ☐ Five months

from: 13 April 2005 until: 13 May 2005
Date Date

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL CLAIMS	22 -	20 =	2	x \$50.00	\$100.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$100.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$120.00	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$220.00	

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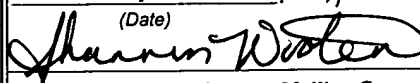
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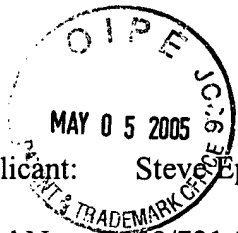


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Group Art Unit: 2137

Examiner: P. Callahan

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